

REMARKS

Claims 1-16 are pending in the application. Claims 8-16 have been allowed. Claims 1-7 are rejected for nonstatutory obviousness-type double patenting over various conflicting claims of U.S. Patent No. 7,154,650.

As noted in the office action, a timely filed terminal disclaimer in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(c) may be used to overcome a rejection based on nonstatutory double patenting. Accordingly, submitted herewith is a terminal disclaimer obviating the double patenting rejection over U.S. Patent No. 7,154,650. Therefore, all claims are now in allowable form.

In view of this response, this application is now in condition for allowance. Included herewith is the statutory fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) of \$130.00. However, if additional fees are due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 13-2855, under Order No. 06007/42358.

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